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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicant requests that the time for responding to the Office Action dated June 29, 1993 in the above-identified application, be extended for a period of three months up to and including December 29, 1993. Applicant has enclosed a check for \$840.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(c) to cover the fee for the three-month extension.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required or to credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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